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RE: Case No. 2005-00321
Atmos Energy Corporation
(Tariffs)

Modification of Gas Cost Adjustment to Incorporate Performance Based Ratemaking Mechanism (PBR)

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of initial application in the above case. The application was date-stamped received July 29, 2005 and has been assigned Case No. 2005-00321. In all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case, please reference the above case number.

If you need further assistance, please contact Dawn McGee at (502) 564-3940 ext. 243.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Beth O'Donnell".

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